Building A New Habit

stage	what you will do	notes
Figure the trigger (for the old habit)	When this happens	The moment you are at a crossroads: old habit or new habit Triggers can be location, time, emotional state, other people or the immediately preceding actions
Identify the old habit	Instead of	Clarity in what you are trying to stop doing
Double S the new habit (short and specific description)	I will	Clarity on what you want to replace your old habit with. Must be able to explain it is 60 seconds or less
Deep practice	How and when	Can you break the habit into smaller bits and practice them separately Repetition, repetition, repetition Be mindful and notice when it goes well Remember to celebrate success
When you slip up.	If I stumble	How will you build in a recovery plan Make your habit a resilient system
Buddy up	Who? How I will check in with my buddyHow often	A colleague A coach A trusted friend An app